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[Aug. 29, '60-6m.]
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[Aug. 1, 1860-2m.]

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May 11, 1860-ly. SAMUEL GILL, Superintendent.
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G. W. CRADDOCK, Adm'r.
Sept. 12, 1859-ly.

3 CASES SARDINES:
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5 cases Pine Apples;
5 cases Pickled Oysters;
5 cases Spiced Oysters, just received and for sale by
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Frankfort, Ky.

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March 12, 1855-ly.

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Feb. 27, 1860-ly. Lex. Obs. & Rep. copy.

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Nov. 18, 1859-ly. JOHN HENDERSON.

THE COMMONWEALTH.

FRANKFORT.

Published by A. G. HODGES & CO.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1860

For President,

JOHN BELL,
OF TENNESSEE.

For Vice President,

EDW'D EVERETT,
OF MASSACHUSETTS.

John Bell's Slavery Record.

It has become fashionable for Yancey's traveling agents to assail John Bell's slavery record. The slander is ridiculous we admit, but being persisted in, might have some effect. We have before us a letter from an honest old farmer asking us about the truth of these charges. It seems that a small Breckinridge popinjay—who is suffering under the delusion that he is an orator—made a speech in our old friend's neighborhood, in which forensic effort he stated that John Bell was an Abolitionist. Now we don't say that John Bell's negroes outnumber the Breckinridge men in Kentucky, but we do say that he is more largely interested in slave property than all the Breckinridge speakers and voters that we have seen since the disruption of the Democratic party. In order to answer our correspondent—who takes the matter seriously—as well as others who may be similarly affected, we set down to reading the old Congressional Globes. After we had concluded our labors, we felt inclined to forgive these little traveling burlesques on Demos thenes for the trouble they have caused us, on account of the very satisfactory result of our labors. Here it is. Just cut it out, and when you hear John Bell accused of Abolitionism, confound the slanderer by the following facts:

June 26th, 1848.—On Mr. Hale's motion to instruct the Committee on the District of Columbia, to bring in a bill to abolish slavery there, Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Volume 18, page 872.]

July 26th, 1848.—When the Clayton Compromise was before the Senate, Mr. Davis, of Massachusetts, moved an amendment excluding slavery from Oregon. On this motion Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 18, page 1002.]

Aug. 10th, 1848.—On the Oregon bill, Mr. Douglas moved an amendment embracing the Missouri Compromise. Mr. Bell voted Yes, with Messrs. Berrien, Calhoun, H. V. Johnson, Hunter and others.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 18, page 1061.]

Aug. 12th, 1848.—On a motion that the Senate recede from the Missouri Compromise Amendment to the Oregon bill, Mr. Bell voted No, in the same company.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 18, page 1078.]

Jan. 16th, 1850.—Mr. Seward presented a petition for the Abolition of Slavery in the District of Columbia. Mr. Berrien moved to lay on the table the question of reception—in other words, to refuse to entertain the petition. On Mr. Berrien's motion, Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 164.]

Feb. 7th, 1850.—Upon a similar motion in relation to a petition against new slave States and Territories, Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 310.]

April 19th, 1850.—Upon a similar motion in relation to a petition to abolish slavery in the District of Columbia, Mr. Bell again voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 779.]

June 5th, 1850.—On Mr. Chase's amendment to the Compromise bill "that nothing herein contained shall be construed as authorizing or permitting the introduction of slavery, or the holding of persons as property within said Territory," Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1084 and 1184.]

June 5th, 1850.—Mr. Berrien offered an amendment to the Compromise bill, that "no law shall be passed by the Territorial Legislature, establishing or prohibiting African slavery." This was against Squatter Sovereignty. Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 24, page 1184.]

June 5th, 1850.—Mr. Hale moved to amend the bill further by inserting the word "allowing," which would have the effect of preventing the Territorial Legislature from protecting, or otherwise recognizing slavery. On this motion, Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1185.]

June 5th, 1850.—Mr. Seward's amendment forbidding slavery in New Mexico and Utah. Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1184.]

June 5th, 1850.—Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, had offered an amendment to the Compromise bill in these words: "Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to prevent said Territorial Legislature from passing such laws as may be necessary for the protection of the rights of property of every kind, which may have been, or may be hereafter, conformably to the Constitution and laws of the United States, held in, or introduced into, said Territory. On this amendment Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, pages 1074 and 1134.]

June 6th, 1850.—Mr. Yulee moved an amendment to a Compromise bill, extending the Constitution and the laws of the United States over the Territory of Utah. This, according to Mr. Bell's doctrine, would recognize the right to carry slaves there, and he voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1146.]

June 6th, 1850.—Mr. Baldwin moved an amendment, continuing in force in the Territory of Utah the Mexican laws prohibiting

slavery, till they be altered or repealed by Congress. Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1148.]

June 17th, 1850.—Upon the motion of Mr. Soule to amend the bill, by providing that the Territories, when admitted as States, should "be received into the Union, with or without slavery, as their Constitutions may prescribe," Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1239.]

June 19, 1850.—On the amendment proposed by Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, repealing all laws pre-existing in the Territories which "restricted the full enjoyment of any right of person or property of any citizen of the United States," Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1254.] The effect of this would be to repeal the anti-slavery laws of Mexico.

August 23d, 1850.—On the passage of the Fugitive Slave Bill, Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1647.]

September 10th, 1850.—The Bill to abolish the Slave Trade in the District of Columbia was before the Senate. The penalty for violating the law was the emancipation of the slave. This penalty was disliked by Southern men who were unwilling that slaves should be manumitted by authority of Congress for any purpose. Mr. Pearce moved to change the penalty to a fine of \$500. On this motion Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1791.]

September 12th, 1850.—Mr. Seward moved to amend the Bill by abolishing Slavery in the District of Columbia; if a majority of the people, upon a vote taken for that purpose, should be in favor of it. Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, pages 1794 and 1810.]

September 18th, 1850.—The Bill to prevent the enticing away of slaves in the District of Columbia was before the Senate. Mr. Hale moved to recommend it, with instructions to Committee to report a bill abolishing slavery in the District. On this motion, Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1859.]

September 28th, 1850.—An amendment was moved to the Bill prohibiting the Slave Trade in the District, giving power to the Corporations of Washington and Georgetown to prevent free negroes from settling there. Mr. Bell voted for the amendment.—[Appendix to Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1674.]

Sept. 28th, 1850.—Mr. Bell voted against the Bill to abolish the Slave Trade in the District, having first tried in vain to make it more acceptable to the South in three particulars, viz: by changing the penalty from emancipation to a fine, by giving power to the City Corporation in the District to exclude free negroes, and enacting more stringent laws against enticing away slaves from their owners.—[Appendix to Congressional Globe, Vol. 22, page 1674.]

Sept. 19, 1850.—On the motion to take up the Bill "to prevent enticing of slaves in the District of Columbia," Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 21, page 1870.] The motion was lost, and thus the bill failed.

May 26, 1852.—Mr. Sumner presented a memorial from Friends, praying the repeal of the Fugitive Slave Law. On a motion to lay it on the table, (in other words to refuse to consider it,) Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 24, page 1475.]

Aug. 26th, 1852.—The Appropriation Bill was before the Senate. Mr. Sumner moved an amendment, providing that no money should be applied to pay for the execution of the Fugitive Slave Law. On this motion Mr. Bell voted No.—[Appendix to Congressional Globe, Vol. 25, page 1425.]

July 14, 1854.—On Mr. Dixon's amendment to the Homestead Bill, to confine its benefits to white persons, Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 28, page 1774.]

July 31st, 1854.—Mr. Sumner moved for leave to introduce a Bill repealing the Fugitive Slave Law. On this motion Mr. Bell voted No.—[Congressional Globe, Vol. 28, page 2023.]

Feb. 23, 1855.—On the Bill to protect officers of the United States in the execution of the laws, (designed to facilitate the execution of the Fugitive Slave law,) Mr. Bell voted Yes.—[Appendix to Congressional Globe, Vol. 31, page 246.]

Feb. 23d, 1855.—On an amendment proposed by Mr. Sumner, repealing the Fugitive Slave Law, Mr. Bell voted No.—[Appendix to Congressional Globe, Vol. 31, page 246.]

WHITHER ARE WE DRIFTING?—STARTLING DISCLOSURES FROM ANOTHER DISUNIONIST.—Hon. Roger A. Pryor, in his Ashland speech, while commenting on the reply of Mr. Douglas to the secession questions propounded to him in Norfolk, wound up with the startling declaration that if a President of the United States should have the temerity to use force to prevent the secession of a southern State or States from the Union, and no effort from any other quarter should be put forth to resist the exercise of Federal power, he, Hon. Roger A. Pryor, and alone, would be the Brutus to plant a dagger in his heart.

To make the thing more cruel and sanguinous, as it were, Roger Pryor has sent to Wisconsin for Potter's big bowie knife. The question now is, will Bell withdraw or will he play Seizer to this Virginia brute?

The "Senior" is under obligations to the "private and acting editor" for his kind attentions in our absence; he has "done us proud," but we fear that his notices are rather too flattering to be entirely just. We are not so good a judge of "corn juice" as we are of some other articles. We prefer to be *munus* to that "flourish," as we might get ourselves into a difficulty and have to leave home working in the lead of a broomstick, if our better-half should find out how popular we are among the fair sex. Please excuse us on the "flourish."

CAUSALITY.—The editor of the Lexington Statesman has at last precipitated himself into a revolution, to-wit: In the fore part of last week, he announced that we had sold our principles to the Union party. In the latter part of the same week he announced that we were Douglas Democrats. We have no doubt that this last announcement will be very gratifying to the friends of the little giant, but truth compels us to say that the Statesman is not our organ. It belongs to Jno. C. Breckinridge, a young friend of ours who resides in Lexington, Ky. We are perfectly satisfied that it should be his organ, and have no desire to deprive him of it. In fact we should not feel slighted if the editor of the Statesman should omit to mention us again until after the election of Mr. Bell. We have an engagement to edit the Commonwealth, and notwithstanding the friends of Mr. Breckinridge don't seem to like it, we are compelled to disregard their disinterested advice and valuable suggestions, but the rejection is accompanied with our deepest sympathy.

While on this subject, we must do Mr. Breckinridge the justice to say, that we believe if he had known we were for sale, he would have made a slight bid for us himself. If there is anything that he does particularly like in this crisis in public affairs, it is a talented and discreet editor like us. If Mr. Breckinridge could speak he would say so.

MODERN PORTS AND PORTESSES.—We have been so completely absorbed with the schemes of that man Yancey, that we have neglected the literary world entirely. We cannot forbear, however, to give a sample of the style in which the Nine is now being done. We give the first and eighth of ten verses:

TO MISS SALLIE ADA REEDER.
BY VIRGINIUS HUTCHEN.
Daughter of the South's imperial clime!
Thy soul-harp to my spirit brings;
Sweet as the Lesbian lute's low chime,
When "burning Sappho" swept the strings.
Yes, woe on thine charming one,
Now glad with hope and ambition brings;
For thou canst gaze on fame's bright sun,
Whose glory glides the spirit's wings.
Whereupon the "charming one" proceeded to wobble on as follows, upon her "soul harp."

TO VIRGINIUS HUTCHEN.
BY SALLIE ADA REEDER.
We have not met—and Fate itself may roll
A gulf between our separate paths, and yet
Thou'st given kindly greeting to a soul
That has not learned a friendship to forget.

Should Fate conclude to roll that gulf between those separate paths, Fate would confer a favor upon Sallie which she little wots of.

FINE APPLES.—We, the Senior, have received, from two of our young lady friends, a present of a basket full of the finest apples we have seen this season, not excepting those which took the premiums at the several Fairs we have attended. These apples are of the variety called Fall or Holland Pippins. Mary and Fannie will please accept our thanks for this kind remembrance.

What has the "private and acting editor" to say now? He knows he is not good looking for the hair hangs over his eyes, and the girls don't like him, and don't send him apples and such like nice things.

BRECKINRIDGE'S LEACH.—James Garlick Leach, why stand ye here all the day! Don't you know that unborn millions are looking for you to vindicate the great republican principle of the equality of the States? Come forth from your retirement in the quiet ways of Henry, and throw yourself at the head of the gallant hosts who are arranged under the banner of John C. Breckinridge, and as you enter the field of battle let your comrades be cheered on in the contest by the inspiring cry of "Liberty or be crippled." Press Sparks, stir him up.

The Breckinridge organs, in order to divert attention from the disunion schemes of the Breckinridge party, are trying to start the absurd story that Bell is a Disunionist. The wind is knocked out of that little rascal by one fact, viz: Bell has always been a strong Union man, and his record is living and breathing with Union sentiments, while Breckinridge will not open his mouth on the subject. He is afraid to speak! The moment he takes a stand, he loses either his northern or southern adherents.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Haydon, in another column. We can say cheerfully, that Mr. Haydon is the most accomplished penman we ever saw. He combines rapidity with correctness and rare beauty of style. If he can teach others the art as perfectly as he understands it, no young man should miss the opportunity of acquiring it.

Poa Docs.—We have received—under the frank of I. I. Stephens—a bundle of speeches, which shall be nameless. Isaac not having heard that we had disposed of our principles sent us the documents aforesaid in good faith. In good faith we scorn to take advantage of Isaac's imbecility and hold the speeches subject to the order of the "Grand Calculator." We have not even read them.

MR. BRECKINRIDGE IN THE MOUNTAINS.—We are reliably informed that Mr. Breckinridge has gone to the mountains on an electioneering tour. Whether he intends to speak or bushwhack, we are not advised. If he speaks, we hope he will answer those Norfolk questions. He must answer them.—Lamb hath said it.

Religious Notice.
Rev. D. T. STUART, of Shelbyville, will preach in the Presbyterian Church, in this city, on next Sabbath. The public are invited to attend.

TO THE PUBLIC.

A man who calls himself Dr. Willis De Hass made his appearance in Frankfort on the 18th of July, 1860. With a great deal of parade he took rooms at the Capital Hotel for himself and family. He talked like a man who owned the largest half of the real estate of the eastern and middle States, and appeared anxious to purchase all the property for sale in Frankfort. The object of all this talk was to swindle me out of my bill for boarding himself and his exceedingly large and interesting family. He was a man of large drafts—drawn upon his imagination—and by dint of the most bare-faced lies, and by appealing to my sympathy, he succeeded in running up a bill of over four hundred dollars. He then left for Louisville, to complete a financial arrangement which he said he had on hand. He promised to return the next day and pay his bill. He has not returned yet. Besides being a lying and a sneaking cheat, he had the baseness to leave his family upon my hands, and after keeping them for three weeks, I was compelled, in self-defense, to aid them in getting to Cincinnati. I make this publication, hoping that it may save other landlords from the imposition which has been practiced upon me.

J. R. WATSON,
Proprietor Capital Hotel, Frankfort, Ky.

COURT OF APPEALS.
MONDAY, September 24, 1860.
Cases decided.
Webb v. Hager, Floyd; reversed.
Clay v. Harris et al., Floyd; reversed.

ORDERS.
Kellhopp v. LaRue et al., Simpson; petition for modification of opinion filed by appellant.
Keller v. Bates, Jefferson; cross appeal granted.

Newland, Hughes & Co. v. Downing, Jefferson;
Lou & Cane Run R. Co. v. Gibner, Jefferson;

Kellar v. Bates, Jefferson;
Same v. Plank & Hellenpt, Jefferson; were submitted on briefs.

Steadman v. Guthrie et al., Jefferson; argued by Morris for appellee.
Indiana Bank v. Lindlay, Jefferson; argued by Speed for appellee.

TUESDAY, Sept. 25, 1860.
Cases decided.

Lou and Cane Run R. Co. v. Gibner, Jefferson; affirmed.
The same v. Plank & Hellenpt, Jefferson; affirmed.

Mason's ex. v. Nelson's ex. Montgomery; affirmed.
Hughes adm'r et al. v. Head's adm'r et al., Washington; affirmed.

Calhoun's adm'r and heirs v. Hughes adm'r et al., Washington; affirmed.
Howes v. Morris, Johnson; affirmed.

Freeze v. Gearhart's adm'r, Floyd; reversed.
Newland, Hughes & Co. v. Downing, Jefferson; reversed.

ORDERS.
O'Bannon v. Roper, Lou. Chy., bond for cost executed and rule discharged.

Lowery v. Wilson & Turner, Lou. Chy., Death appellee, Turner, suggested and continued.

Dent v. Hawes, Lou. Chy., agreement filed. Hurley v. Caldwell, Lou. Chy., submitted on briefs.

Brannon et al. v. Shriver, Lou. Chy., submitted on briefs.
Evans v. Shaw, Lou. Chy., submitted on briefs.

Dent v. Hawes, Lou. Chy., submitted on briefs.
Smithley & Co. v. Hawser, Lou. Chy., sup da ces tecur awarded.

The same v. Colvin, Lou. Chy., sup da ces tecur awarded.
Indiana Bank v. Lindlay, Jefferson; argued by Strim for appellant.

Vanbushirk & Meade v. Levy, Jefferson; argued by Barr for appellant and submitted.

The Prince of Wales will pass through this city this evening by the three o'clock train, on his way to Louisville. Our correspondent, Lord Palmerston, regrets that the Prince will be unable to stop over one day in our delightful city. We cannot join old Pam in this regret, because we are afraid the Breckinridge Central Committee might get around the little case and pass themselves off as Kentucky intelligence and aristocracy.

The phunny editor of the Louisville Democrat spells the name of the Mary Ann of the Mexican war thus: "Jowl Anc."

We envy him the re-Morse of conscience which he enjoyed after coming to.

There seems to be a political Sylvanus Cobb writing for the Louisville Courier. The stories of that paper concerning the prospects of Breckinridge are at once marvellous and romantic.

PERSONAL.—We notice that our old friend, Hon. H. M. Rust is in town. Personally Mr. Rust is a perfect gentleman. Politically, he is troubled with dissolving views.

Mr. Douglas will be in Louisville on Saturday night. So says the Louisville Democrat.

DEATH OF THE CHILIAN MINISTER.—Don Juan Bello, the Minister from Chili to this country, died on Sunday evening, at the Clarendon Hotel, New York.

MARRIED.
On the 25th inst., in Franklin county, at the residence of Dr. William Morris, by Elder W. T. Moore, Dr. FRANK F. CONWAY, of Daviess, to Miss EMMA C. HAMPTON, of Franklin.

DIED.
On the 21st inst., of consumption, Mr. Wm. TUTT, of Woodford county.
In Floyd county, Indiana, on the 18th inst., Geo. M. SMITH, aged 67 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES.
Caution.—Spurious American Watches.

We are credibly informed that some of the Jewelers of Louisville and other places are selling counterfeit and imitation American Watches, for the genuine article, manufactured at Waltham, Mass., and particularly a foreign imitation of our watch, named P. S. Bartlett, which is represented to be manufactured in Hartford, Conn. It may be of service to the public to be informed that there is no manufactory of watches in that place. The genuine article of one grade of our watches is named P. S. BARTLETT, WALTHAM, MASS., and all our watches of every grade are marked "Waltham, Mass."

\$5 00 REWARD.
I WILL pay \$5 to any person who will furnish me with a copy of the Daily Commonwealth or Yeoman containing the proceedings of the House of Representatives, session 1849-50, to be returned to the owner whenever called for.

SAM. C. SAYRES,
sep24 Rep. for Commonwealth in 1849-50.

It is hardly necessary to state that such watches are like ours in form only, and are made upon the same old system that has already flooded the country with watches that are not only vexatious and a constant source of expense, but really useless to the owners, and when bought for genuine are calculated to injure the high reputation which our watches have attained. We therefore caution the public against buying our watches from any person who cannot furnish a certificate of genuineness for every watch offered for sale, bearing the number of the watch and the signature of the Treasurer of the Company, R. E. Robbins. We also beg to inform those who deal in the spurious article, that legal proceedings will be instituted against them, upon any well authenticated instance of their selling a counterfeit or colorable imitation of any of our products.

For the American Watch Company.

ROBBINS & APPLETON, Agents,
sep24 2m 182 Broadway.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

Rev. J. R. HENDRICKS will commence the 13th session of his School for Young Ladies, on Monday, September 10th. Those desiring further information may obtain it by calling upon the Principal, at the residence of P. Swigert. As the number of pupils is limited to twenty-five, application should be made immediately. Terms \$25 00 per session of twenty weeks.
September 7, 1860-tf.

H. WHITTINGHAM,

NEWSPAPER & PERIODICAL AGENT.

FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY.
Continues to furnish American and Foreign Weeklies, Monthlys, and Quarterlies, on the best terms. Advance Sheets received from twenty-four Publishers. Back number supplied to complete sets.
Nov. 24, 1859.

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OF THE

KENTUCKY FARMER

Sowed and bound with Muslin Backs and Stiff Paper Covers, can be had at this office at \$1 per volume.
A. G. HODGES & CO.
Aug. 10, 1860.

NOTICE.

All those who are indebted to me by note or account will call and settle the same, or they will be handed to the officers for collection.
Sep. 2, '60-w4w3w. W. P. LOOMIS.

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS!!

MRS. F. T. LYONS.

Saint Clair Street, Frankfort, Ky.
Has just received and opened a full and large assortment of Fashionable Fall and Winter Millinery Goods.
The new stock embraces Cloaks, Points, Bonnets, Ribbons, Head-dresses, Caps, &c., &c., all of the latest styles and fashions.
Don't send to Louisville or Lexington when you can get what you want equally as elegant and far cheaper at home. Call and see.

Mrs. F. T. LYONS.
Also Agent for WHEELER & WILSON'S Unrivalled Sewing Machines.
Oct. 14, 1859.

Liberia Fall Expedition from Kentucky
On the 25th of October, 1860, emigrants going to Liberia from Kentucky will leave the State to embark on the vessel to sail from Baltimore on the 1st of November, for Liberia. Application for passage will be made to the subscriber, directed to Frankfort, Ky. The passage and six months support in Liberia will be paid out of the State appropriation for all of the free blacks living in Kentucky who go in the expedition.

ALEX. M. COWAN,
Agent Kentucky State Colonization Society.
Papers in the State will confer a favor by publishing this notice.

ROOMS FOR RENT.
Having determined not to sell the Mansion House property for the present, I desire to rent the Rooms in the first story of the building. They will be rented on very reasonable terms by the month.

Application can be made to A. W. BROWN, at the Commonwealth Office, or to THOS. S. PAGE.
May 21, 1860. A. G. HODGES.

MRS. WINSLOW,
An experienced Nurse and Female Physician, has a soothing Syrup for children teething, which greatly facilitates the process of teething by softening the gums and reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. Perfectly safe in all cases. See advertisement in another column.

JOHN W. PREWITT is authorized to collect all claims due me in the County of Franklin and City of Frankfort. I have also placed in Mr. Pruett's hands many notes due me by persons living in and out of the State of Kentucky.
A. G. HODGES.

NEW CLOTHING STORE.
H. STRAUSS would respectfully inform the citizens of Frankfort and the surrounding country that he has opened a Clothing Store in the room on St. Clair street lately occupied by Mr. G. W. Dagon.

His stock is ENTIRELY NEW and of superior quality, consisting of a general assortment of Gentlemen's Clothing and Furnishing Goods, Boys and Youth's Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, &c. He can furnish clothing with fine business and dress suits of superior quality, and made in the best style, cheap for cash.
Mr. A. SONNEBERG, who is well known here, is employed as salesman in this establishment, where he will be pleased to wait on his old friends and customers.
sep26 tf.

WRITING SCHOOL.
THE third session of CHAS. HAYDON'S writing school will commence on Wednesday evening, the 26th September. Those desiring of taking lessons will please leave their names at Mr. Saml. Bull's Book Store, on St. Clair street. Lessons given every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evening, between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

TERMS:
Session of 12 lessons \$2 00
sep24 dt.

\$5 00 REWARD.
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SAM. C. SAYRES,
sep24 Rep. for Commonwealth in 1849-50.

TO CONTRACTORS.
SEALED Proposals will be received until Monday, October 1st, for the erection of all or a part of the building for the Kentucky Institution for the Education and Training of Feeble-minded Children. Contractors may correspond with Dr. James Rodman, Superintendent, and examine the plans and specifications in his office at the Institute, near Frankfort.

ROBT W. SCOTT, Pres. B. C. I. F. C.
Sept. 17-w4wtd.

\$30 Reward.
ON Sunday night, May 13, from my farm, two miles from Frankfort, on the Versailles turnpike, a HORSE, about fifteen hands and a half high; about four years old; three white feet, and a small swelling on one of his hoofs. The above reward will be given to any one returning him to me, or for information which will enable me to get him.

SILAS M. NOEL,
Frankfort, Sep. 12, 1860-tf.

FRESH
OYSTERS.
WE will keep during the season Maltby's Celebrated Pearl Oysters, by the can and half can.
September 18, 1860-6m.

Distribution of Public Books.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE,
Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 8, 1860.

SEALED proposals will be received at this office until the 6th day of Oct., prox., at 3 o'clock, P. M., for carrying and distributing the Public Books and Documents to the several counties in the State.
The Books and Documents to be distributed are, the 2d volume of Metcalf's Reports; 1st and 2d volumes of Stanton's Revised Statutes; the Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction; the Report of the Auditor of Public Accounts; Registration Reports; Geological Reports; Acts and Journals, and five volumes of Documents accompanying each set of Journals; Commissioner's Blanks; Registration Blanks; Blanks for Common Schools; and any other documents necessary, by law, to be distributed.

The State is divided into Eight Districts, as follows:

DISTRICT NO. 1.
Fulton, Hickman, Marshall,
Graves, McCracken, Lyon,
Calloway, Livingston, Crittenden,
Trigg, Caldwell, Webster,
Union, Ballard.

DISTRICT NO. 2.
Hopkins, Henderson, McLea,
Madisonburg, Christian, Todd,
Butler, Logan, Simpson,
Allen, Monroe, Barton,
Warren.

DISTRICT NO. 3.
Hart, Edmonson, Grayson,
Ohio, Daviess, Hancock,
Breckinridge, Meade, Hardin,
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CASH CAPITAL, - \$1,000,000,
ABSOLUTE AND UNIMPAIRED.
NET SURPLUS OF - \$942,800 72,
And the prestige of 40 years success and experience.

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Of Losses have been paid by the Hartford Fire Insurance Company in the past 40 years.

The value of reliable Insurance will be apparent from the following:

LOSSES PAID BY THE HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY DURING THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

In Ohio.....	\$481,520 83	Michigan.....	\$158,048 81
In Wisn., 100,955 07	Indiana.....	146,839 81	
In Kent'y, 204,939 40	Illinois.....	448,327 41	
Missouri.....	384,518 04	Tennessee.....	97,549 21
Iowa Min 101,399 00	Kans. Neb 19,945 77		
Penn. & Va. 31,585 82	Ark. & Ga. 23,945 09		
Mississippi and Alabama.....	\$52,412 18		

Fire and Inland Navigation.
Risks accepted at terms consistent with solvency and fair profit.

Special attention given to Insurance of DWELLINGS and Contents, for terms of 1 to 5 years. The solid service long and successfully tried, and the many advantages of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, should be to the insured, should not be overlooked by those ready to insure and understanding their best interests.

During "stringent times" the necessity for reliable insurance becomes an imperative duty—the ability of property owners to sustain loss being much lessened. Agencies in all the principal cities and towns throughout the State. Policies issued without delay, by any of the authorized agents of the company. Business attended to with dispatch and fidelity.

H. WINGATE, Agent, Frankfort, Ky.
June 20, 1860.

FRANKFORT AGENCY

OF THE

New York Life Insurance Company

A meeting of the Local Directors of the New York Life Insurance Company, held in the city of Frankfort, Ky., December 4th, 1859, the following was unanimously adopted:

"The undersigned, President and Directors of the Company, have examined the report and exhibit of the New York Life Insurance Company for the half year ending July 1st, 1859, and being satisfied with its prosperous condition, cordially recommend it to the encouragement and support of the community.

The New York Life Insurance Company has been in existence fourteen years, its capital has attained the sum of

\$1,500,000.00.

Invested in State stocks, bonds and mortgages on real estate. We think it a most safe and profitable mode of investing money. The profits accrue to the benefit of the insured, and have averaged not less than 30 per cent. per annum on the premium paid. Besides these investments in stock, &c., the law of New York requires as additional security, that \$100,000 shall be deposited with the State Comptroller, to meet any lawful demands which the Company may fail to pay.

We invite attention to the nature, objects, and advantages of Life Insurance, as set forth by this Institution.

It will be seen by the above statement that this Company is in a flourishing condition. Those desirous of information in regard to the subject of Life Insurance, would do well to call on the Local Agent of the above Company, who will give them any information that may be desired, or for reference apply to either member of the Local Board, all of whom are insured in this office.

C. S. MOREHEAD, President.
E. M. H. TAYLOR,
THO. S. PAGE,
CHAS. G. RHYTHIAN, Directors.
R. W. SCOTT,
H. I. TODD,

CLAIMS PAID AT THIS AGENCY.

John Lane.....	\$5,000
Thomas E. Thornton.....	5,000
Joseph H. Davies.....	5,000
William G. Craig.....	5,000
John C. Herndon.....	5,000
John T. Pendleton.....	1,500
	\$26,500

MEDICAL EXAMINER—W. C. SNEED, M. D.
July 1, 1860—H. WINGATE, Agent, Frankfort Branch Bank.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

JANUARY 1, 1860.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand and in Bank.....	\$88,338 11
Cash in hands of Agents, and in course of transmission.....	62,690 89
Cash loaned on call.....	30,000 00
Bills receivable for loans, amply secured.....	\$131,029 00
Real Estate, unincumbered, (cash value,).....	70,223 59
2409 Shares Bank Stock in Hartford, market value.....	15,000 00
2200 Shares Bank Stock in New York, market value.....	200,352 00
900 Shares Bank Stock in Boston, market value.....	200,225 00
400 Shares Bank Stock in St. Louis, market value.....	107,565 00
240 Shares Bank Stock in Railroad and other Stock, market value.....	16,750 00
Hartford City Bonds, 6 per cent., market value.....	56,500 00
State Bonds, (Tennessee, Ohio, Michigan, Missouri,) 6 per cent., market value.....	36,625 00
20 Shares State Bank Wisconsin, market value.....	2,140 00
Total assets.....	\$936,709 59
Total liabilities.....	66,930 85

Insurance against Loss or Damage by Fire, on Dwellings, Furniture, Stores, Warehouses, Merchandise, Mills, Manufactories, and most other kinds of property, can be effected in this Company upon as favorable terms as the nature of the risks and security of Policy holders will admit.

May 18, 60—H. WINGATE, Agent, Frankfort, Ky.

THE Hartford Fire Insurance Company,

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Capital, - \$500,000.

1. ITS CAPITAL IS AMPLE.
2. ITS RATES ARE REASONABLE.
3. IT PAYS ITS LOSSES PROMPTLY.

H. HUNTINGTON, President.
T. C. ALBY, Secretary.
J. M. MILLS, Agent at Frankfort, Ky.
July 1, 1860—H.

Home Insurance Company, OF NEW YORK.

OFFICE, No. 4, WALL STREET,
CASH CAPITAL, \$500,000 00
AMT OF ASSETS 1st Jan. 1859 \$84,213 31
AMT OF LIABILITIES 41,110 01

This Company continues to insure Buildings, Merchandise, Ships in port and their cargoes, Household Furniture and Personal Property generally, against Loss or Damage by Fire, on favorable terms.

Losses Equitably Adjusted and Promptly Paid.

Abstract of the SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT of the office and condition of the HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, of the City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1857.

ASSETS.	
Cash, Balance in Bank.....	\$ 37,000 56
Bonds and Mortgages (being first lien on Real Estate, worth at least \$801,000,).....	460,600 00
Loans on stocks payable on demand, (market value of securities, \$253,667,).....	150,859 85
Bank Stocks (market value).....	77,000 00
Real Estate, No. 4 Wall Street (the office of the company).....	67,004 72
Interest due on 1st January, 1858, (of which \$12,625 93 has since been received).....	14,375 93
Balance in hands of Agents and in course of transmission from Agents, on 31st Dec., (of which \$7,857 57 has since been received).....	24,684 75
Premiums due and uncollected on Policies issued at Office.....	2,087 53
Total.....	\$834,213 34

LIABILITIES.	
Outstanding losses on 31st Decem-ber, 1857, estimated at.....	\$39,410 01
Due Stockholders on account of Seventh dividend.....	1,700 00
Total.....	\$41,110 01

NEW YORK, 22d January, 1858.
CHAS. J. MARTIN, Pres't.
A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.
J. MILTON SMITH, Sec'y.
H. WINGATE, Agent, Frankfort, Ky.
Oct. 12, 1859.

BY STATE AUTHORITY.

Increase of Cash Capital.

PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY,

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

—DEVOTED TO—

Fire Insurance Exclusively.

(CHARTER PERPETUAL.)

Cash Capital..... \$400,000.

S. L. LOOMIS, President.

H. KELLOGG, Secretary.

Branch Office, 31 & 33 West Third Street, Cincinnati.

M. MAGILL, General Agent.

Agents in the principal Cities and Towns of the Union.

Losses Promptly Paid.

Applications received, and Policies issued and renewed by H. WINGATE, Agent, Frankfort, Ky.
July 27—H.

New Spring and Summer Goods!

T. S. & J. R. PAGE,

INVITE the attention of their friends and customers to their large and handsome stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

which they are now opening. Their stock embraces every article usually to be found in such establishments. Among which may be found

LADIES DRESS GOODS,

in great variety, to suit the fancy and pockets of all who wish to buy.

Domestic and Staple Goods,

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings, and all other articles for Gentlemen's wear.

GLOVES, HOSIERY, FANCY ARTICLES, &c., &c.

They have also one of the largest and most complete stocks of

China, Glass, Queensware, and Table Cutlery

EVER BROUGHT TO THIS MARKET.

All of which they will sell on reasonable terms. Give them a call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

[March 2, 1860.]

FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, VINES, SHRUBS, &c.,

CULTIVATED AND FOR SALE BY

Ed. D. Hobbs and J. W. Walker,

AT THE EVERGREEN NURSERY, 1858,

Twelve miles East of Louisville, Ky., immediately on the Louisville and Frankfort Railroad.

A neatly printed Catalogue of the Fruits, Ornamental Trees, Vines, Shrubs, &c., at the above named Nursery, may be had by application to A. G. HOBBS, Frankfort, Ky.

Orders may be addressed to HOBBS & WALKER, Williamson Postoffice, Jefferson county, Ky., or to A. G. HOBBS, Frankfort, Oct. 17, 1854. Frankfort, Ky.

PAINTS, OIL, AND VARNISH.

100 KEGS Lindenberg & Co's White Lead;

25 boxes Chrome Green;

25 boxes Chrome Yellow;

50 kegs Zinc White;

100 lbs. Red Lead;

1 bbl. English Lamp Black;

3 cases American Vermilion;

15 gallons Japan Varnish;

15 gallons Denmar Varnish;

15 gallons Copal Varnish;

1 bbl. best Linseed Oil;

1 bbl. Turpentine, with full assortment of Brushes of all kinds, at

April 25, 1859. W. H. KEENE & CO.'S

100 EXTRA Canvas Hams;

100 Extra Small Sides;

50 kegs Country Lard;

100 boxes Extra Dried Beef;

2 dozen Large Beef Tongues, just received by steamboat "Dove," and for sale by

April 25, 1859. W. H. KEENE & CO.

50 BOXES Pearl Starch;

50 boxes Star Candles;

24 boxes Tallow Candles;

30 boxes Rosin Soap;

30 boxes German Soap; for sale by

April 23, 1859. W. H. KEENE & CO.

COLORING.

GENTLEMEN can have their Whiskers, Goatees, Moustache or Imperial colored in the highest style of the art, by calling at

Jan. 8, 1860. SAMUEL'S BARBER SHOP.

ROCKAWAY FOR SALE

A TWO SEAT Rockaway, almost new which will be sold cheap for Cash or good paper. Apply to

June 16, 1859. E. HENSLEY.

10,000 MORE of those Fine Cigars, just received at

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Artesian Well Water.

A SUPPLY always on hand at

Feb. 8, 1860. SAMUEL'S BARBER SHOP.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

The proprietors and manufacturers of HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS can appeal with perfect confidence to physicians and citizens generally of the United States, because the article has attained a reputation heretofore unknown. A few facts upon this point will speak more powerfully than volumes of bare assertion or blustering puffery.

The consumption of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for the last year amounted to over a half-million bottles, and from its manifest steady increase in times past, it is evident that during the coming year the consumption will reach near one million bottles. This immense amount could never have been sold but for the rare medicinal properties contained in the preparation, and the sanction of the most prominent physicians in those sections of the country where the article is best known, who not only recommend the Bitters to their patients, but are ready at all times to give testimonials to its efficacy in all cases of stomachic derangements and the diseases resulting therefrom.

This is not a temporary popularity, obtained by extraordinary efforts in the way of trumpeting the qualities of the Bitters, but a solid estimation of an invaluable medicine, which is destined to be as enduring as time itself.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters have proved a Godsend to regions where fever and ague and various other bilious complaints have counted their victims by hundreds. To be able to state confidently that the Bitters are a certain cure for the dyspepsia and biliousness, is to the proprietor a source of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all morbid matter from the stomach, purifies the blood, and imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving it that tone and energy indispensable for the restoration of health. It operates upon the stomach, liver, and other digestive organs, mildly but powerfully, and soon restores them to a condition essential to the healthy discharge of the functions of nature.

Elderly persons may use the Bitters daily as per directions on the bottle, and they will find in it a stimulant peculiarly adapted to combat declining years, as it is pleasant to the palate, invigorating to the bowels, excellent as a tonic, and rejuvenating generally. We have the evidence of thousands of aged men and women who have experienced the benefit of using this preparation while suffering from stomachic derangements and general debility, acting under the advice of physicians, they have abandoned all deleterious drugs and fairly tested the merits of this article. A few words to the gentler sex. There are certain periods when their cares are so harassing that many of them sink under the trial. The relation of mother and child is so absorbingly tender, that the mother, especially if she be young, is apt to forget her own health in that of her infant. Should the period of maternity arrive during the summer season, the wear of body and mind is generally aggravated. Here, then, is a necessity for a stimulant to recuperate the energies of the system, and enable the mother to bear up under her exhausting trials and responsibilities. Nursing mothers generally prefer the Bitters to all other invigorators that receive the endorsement of physicians, because it is so agreeable to the taste as well as certain to give a permanent increase of bodily strength.

All those persons, to whom we have particularly referred above, to wit: sufferers from fever and ague, caused by malaria, diarrhoea, dysentery, indigestion, loss of appetite, and all diseases or derangements of the stomach, superannuated invalids, persons of sedentary occupation, and nursing mothers, will confer upon their physical welfare by giving to Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters a trial.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, South America, and Germany.

For sale by all Druggists in FRANKFORT. December 9, 1859—H.

CHILDREN TEETHING

MRS. WINSLOW,

An experienced Nurse and Female Physician, presents to the attention of mothers her

SOOTHING SYRUP,

FOR CHILDREN TEETHING

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation, will allay ALL PAIN and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the Bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves and Benefit and Health to your Infants.

We have just put up and sold this article for over ten years, and can say in confidence and truth, of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to effect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of the highest commendation of its magical effects and medicinal virtues. We speak in this matter "what we do know" after ten years experience and pledge our reputation for the fulfillment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the Syrup is administered.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most EXPERIENCED and SKILLFUL NURSES in New England, and has been used with NEVER-FAILING SUCCESS in

THOUSANDS OF CASES.

It not only relieves the child from pain, but invigorates the stomach and bowels, corrects acidity, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. It will almost instantly relieve the child from the Bowels and Wind Colic, and overcome convulsions, which, if not speedily remedied, end in death. We believe it the BEST AND SUREST REMEDY in the world in ALL cases of DYSENTERY AND DIARRHEA IN CHILDREN, whether it arises from teething or from any other cause. We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints—do not let your prejudices, nor the prejudices of others, stand between your suffering child and the relief that will be SURE, YES, ABSOLUTELY SURE, to follow this medicine, if timely used. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New York, is on the outside wrapper.

Sold by Druggists throughout the world.

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I HAVE several beautiful vacant Building Lots for sale. Call on me at my residence in South Frankfort.

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ALL Diseases Treated Entirely Free of Charge!!

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No. 31, East Fourth Street, corner of Sycamore, where he gives his entire attention to the practice of Physic and Surgery; had thirty years experience in hospitals and private practice, and has devoted twenty years to curing certain

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he will guarantee a cure in their most complicated and severe stages. Recent cases are cured in

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YOUNG MEN injured in mind or body by a secret infatuation, should at once apply. He has cured many thousands such persons, and will restore you to health, happiness, friends and society.

WOMEN having derangements peculiar to their sex, are invited to call for relief.

Skin Diseases carefully treated.

Be particular as to the name and number.

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Persons living at a distance can receive medicines, by writing a history of their case and sending two stamps.

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A Benevolent Institution established by special endowment, for the relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases, and especially for the cure of diseases of the Sexual Organs.

MEDICAL ADVICE given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.), and in cases of extreme poverty, medicine furnished free of charge.

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EZRA D. HEARTWELL, Pres't.

GEO. FAIRCHILD, Sec'y. [June 28 1860—H.]

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